HOUSE RESOLUTION 218 By Cole (Carter)

A RESOLUTION to congratulate Daniel B. Peppers for outstanding work as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, throughout the course of each legislative session, there have emerged certain individuals who far exceed the basic requirements set forth for them to follow; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Peppers has distinguished himself as one such individual through his work as a legislative intern for Representatives Tommy Head and Ronnie Cole, and the Budget Subcommittee; his efforts resulted in untold benefits for the members he served and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a highly regarded student at Austin Peay State University, Daniel has excelled both academically and in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his exceptional academic ability, Daniel Peppers has received several academic honors, including being named to the Dean's List four times; and

WHEREAS, Daniel has contributed his time and talents as an employee of *The All State*, WAPX-FM, and the *Capsule* Magazine, all the while finding the time to maintain an impressive 3.1 cumulative grade point average and a stellar 3.7 grade point average in his major, Mass Communications; and

WHEREAS, while excelling in these scholarly endeavors, Daniel found the time, love and patience to raise a wonderful son, Nathan; and to the delight of the committee staff and

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members this session, to help bring into this world a beautiful baby girl, Jessica; born in January, 1998; and

WHEREAS, Daniel was always an eager participant in Fish Fries, Hot Dog Days, Bologna and Cheese Days, and most especially the Barbecue Buffets; and

WHEREAS, he demonstrated great savvy at picking the winning teams in the NCAA

Men's Basketball Tournament, much to the chagrin of the Speaker of the House and veteran

March Madness basketball poolers; and

WHEREAS, eager to learn more about the intricacies and idiosyncrasies of Tennessee state government and to aid in his studies, Daniel B. Peppers brought his many skills to the State Capitol for the 1998 session of the One-Hundredth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, during the 1998 legislative session, Daniel exceeded all standards with regard to the qualities that are expected of a dedicated and competent legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Peppers has performed his many responsibilities with extraordinary intelligence, ingenuity, alacrity and decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend Daniel B. Peppers for outstanding service as a legislative intern and wish him much success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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